

INTERNATIONAL

BANK CAMPAIGNERS

17-21  
OCTOBER  
2023

GATHERING

MAASTRICHT - NETHERLANDS

IN PICTURES

BANKTR20K  
YEARS



*'We can't celebrate 20 years of BankTrack with all our work partners just on a Zoom call!'*

That, in a nutshell, led us this October to organise the International Bank Campaigners Gathering. Five years after our previous get together, too many of them spent in lockdown working from home, it was high time for bank campaigners from all over the world to once again meet for real.

No less than 110 of you, representing 60+ organisations from 25+ countries, responded to our call and came down to Maastricht, the Netherlands. Together, we spent five intense days joining numerous workshops, trainings and debates, explored the old squares and alleys, bars and restaurants of the splendid old town, and wandered off into the beautiful hill country. Oh, and we partied, big way.

As workshop reports and PowerPoint presentations alone don't do justice to this wonderful week, we have tried to capture the spirit of Maastricht in this book.

Enjoy, and see you in 2025!

**The BankTrack team**

Tuesday,  
Oct. 17

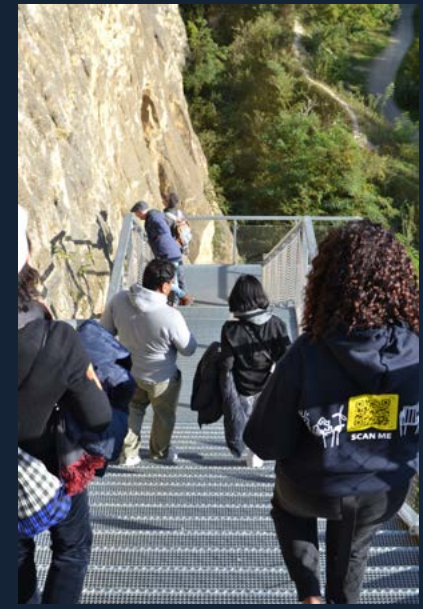


Arrival at the front desk



Time for a walk to the Sint Pietersberg







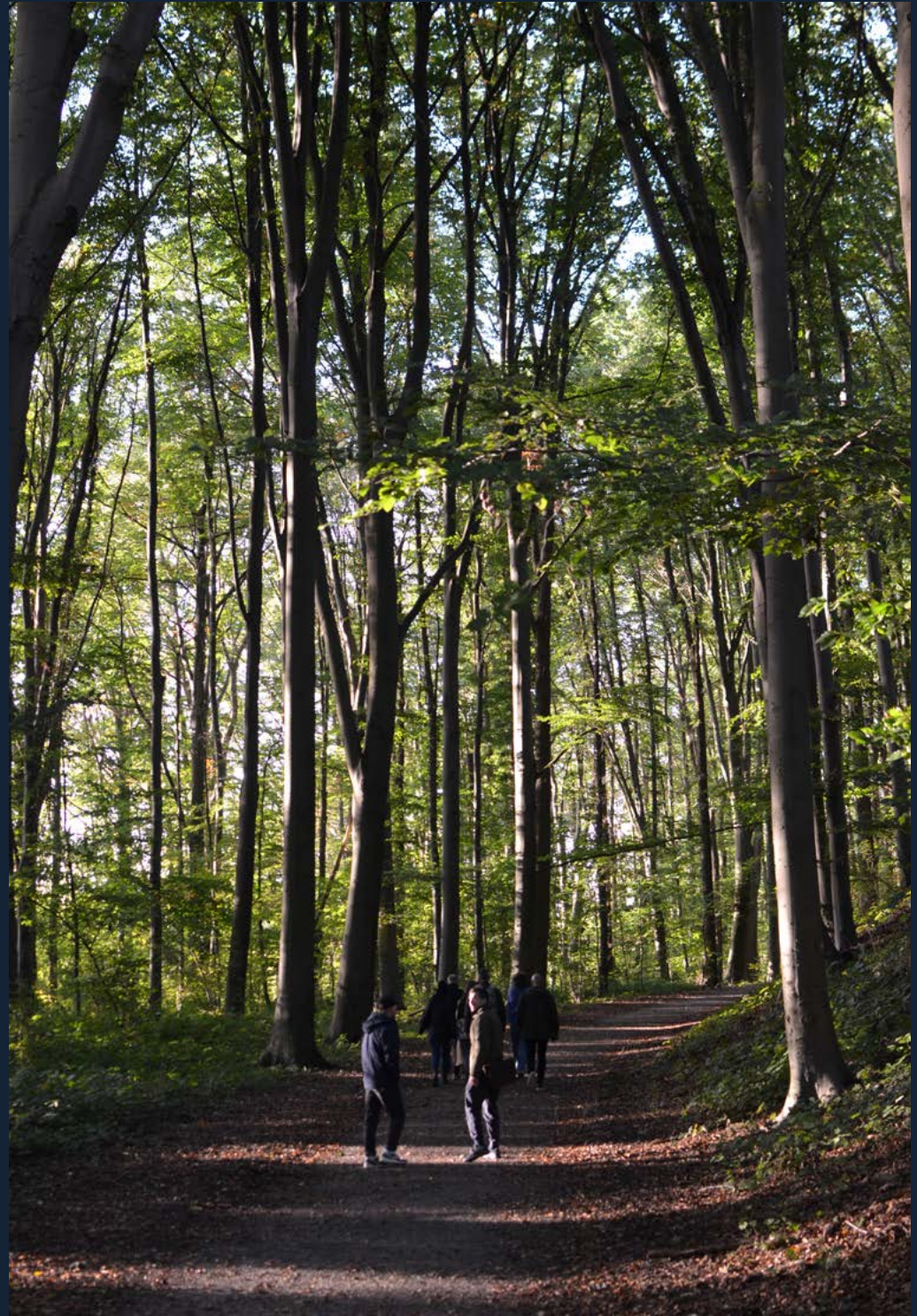
Inside the limestone quarry





Passing the ENCI (Eerste  
Nederlandse Cement Industrie)  
cement factory











Enjoying the forests and hills of Limburg





**Top:** first meeting of the gathering:  
Forests and Finance coalition

**Right:** our Great-get-to-know  
session



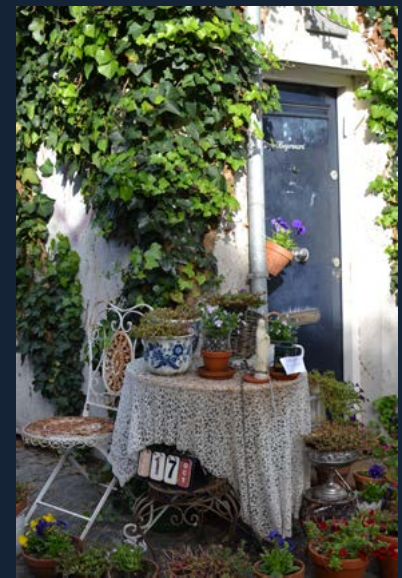
Wednesday,  
Oct. 18

City tour through Maastricht





Left: bookstore situated in a church





**Top:** BankTrack's chair of the board Michelle Chan

## Opening session of the gathering



### Opening speeches by:

**Top:** James Vacarro

**Left:** Johan Frijns, director of BankTrack

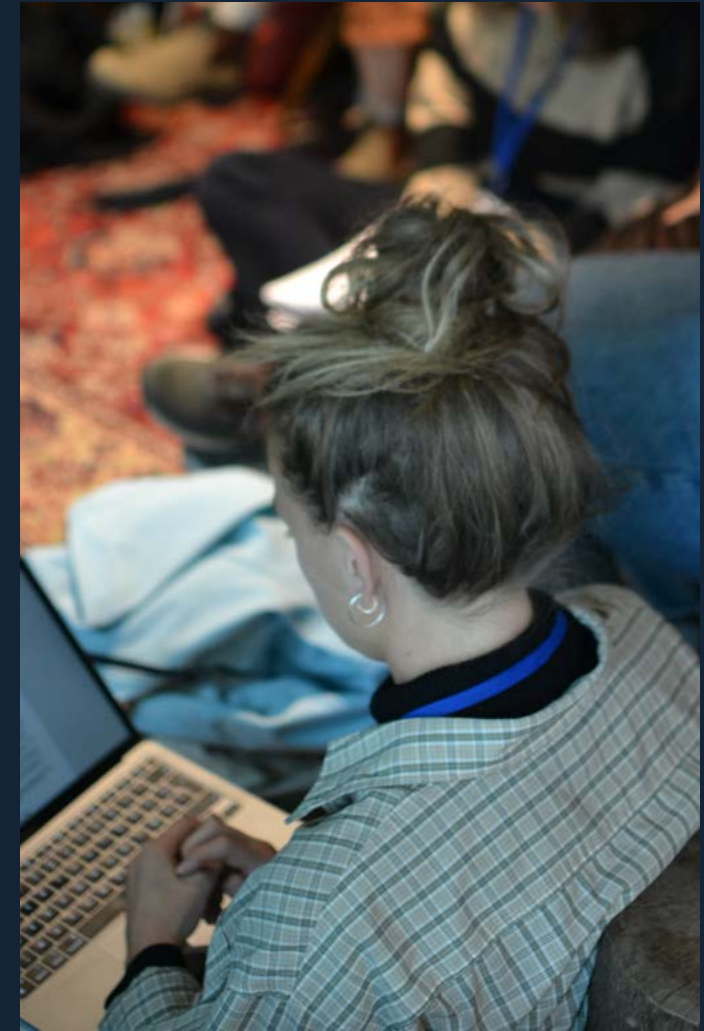
**Bottom:** Heleen De Coninck





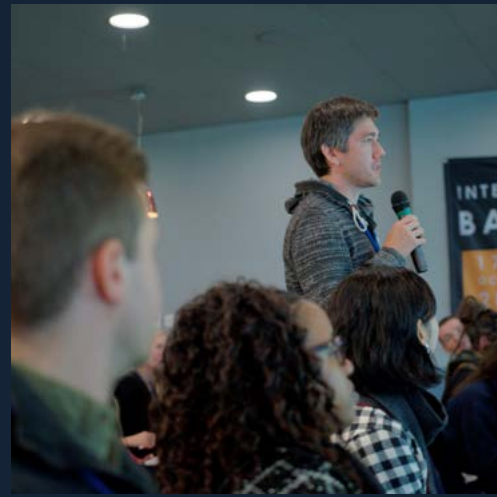
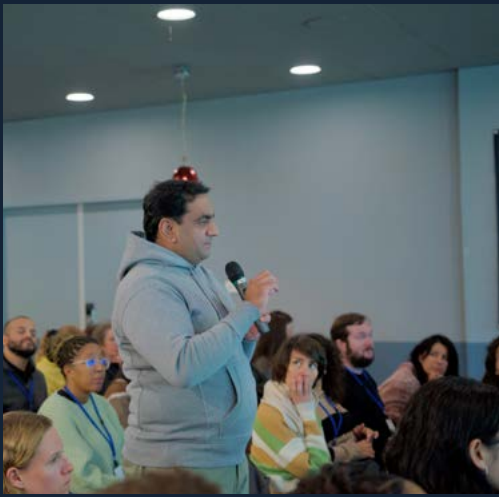
### Meet the Bankers:

Bankers from ING, ABN AMRO and Rabobank advising us on campaign strategies









**Top and Bottom:**  
questions for the bankers  
**Right:** panel discussion after viewing  
'Duty of Care'





Thursday, Oct. 19

Start of workshops

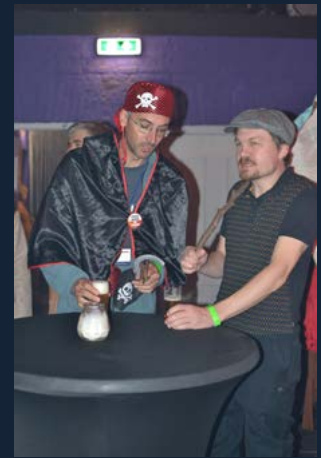




**Bankers and Rebels  
at BankTrack's 20th  
Anniversary Party**









Friday,  
Oct. 20





Closing session of the gathering





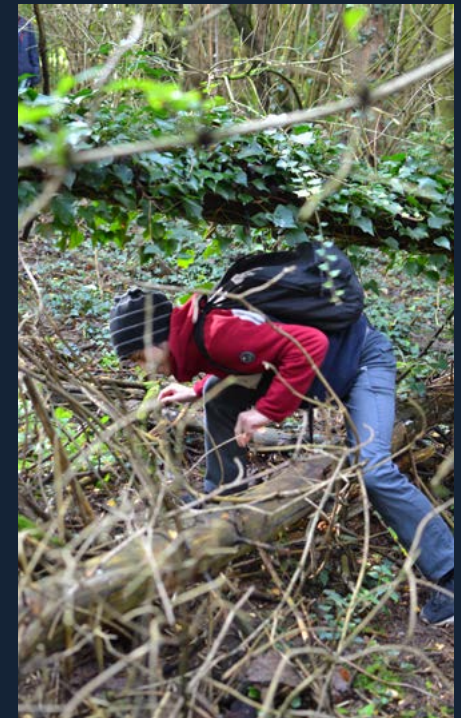


Saturday,  
Oct. 21

Out for another walk in the hills

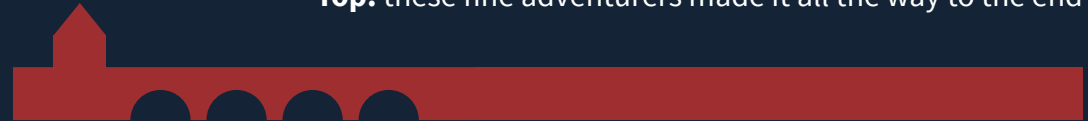








**Top:** these fine adventurers made it all the way to the end






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